GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4710
ANSWERED ON:25.04.2000
SEPARATE DEPARTMENT FOR NORTH EAST AFFAIRS
SURESH RAMRAO JADHAV (PATIL)

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to create a separate Department for the North East Affairs;

(b) if so, details thereof; and

(c) the time by which this is likely to be set up?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

(SHRI I.D.SWAMI)

(a) to (c) : Yes, sir. There is a proposal to create a Department for North East Affairs in the Ministry of Home Affairs. The proposal will be finalised shortly.